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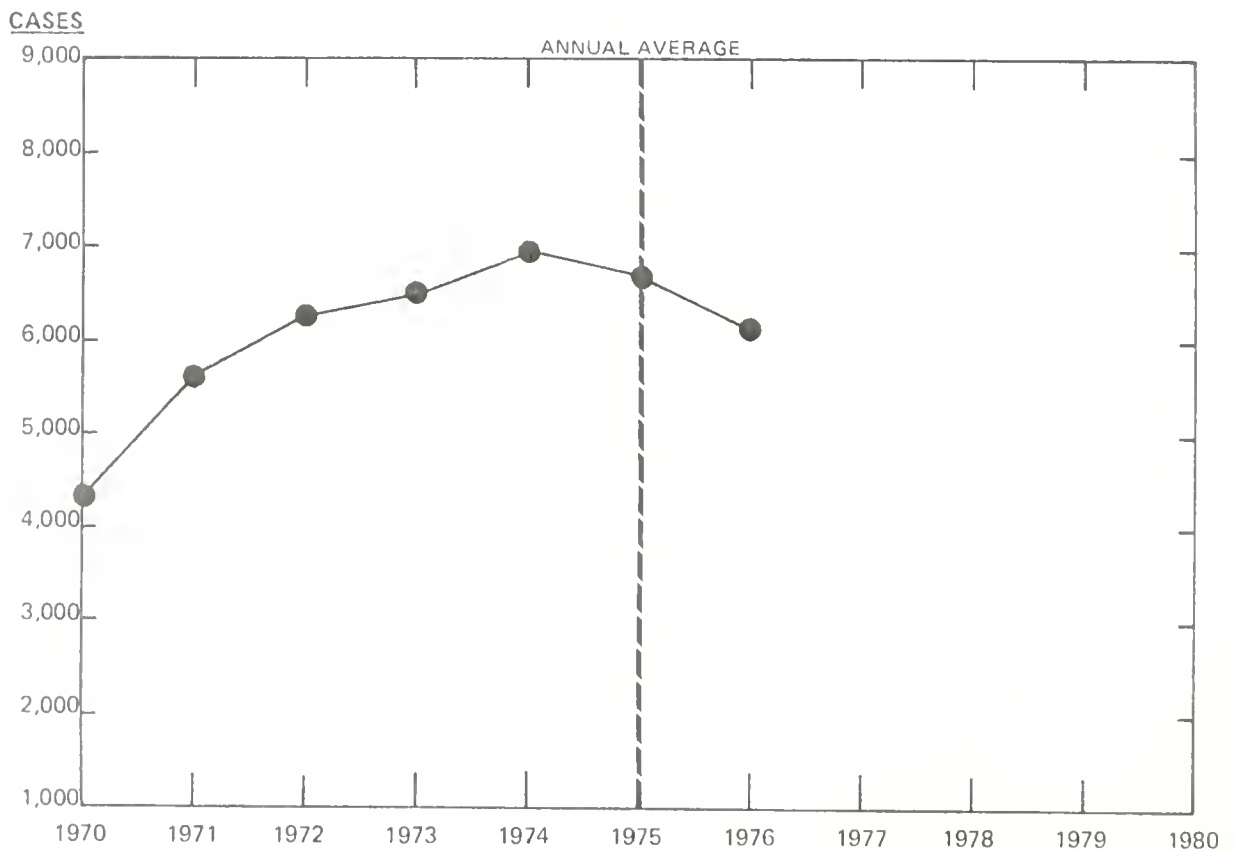
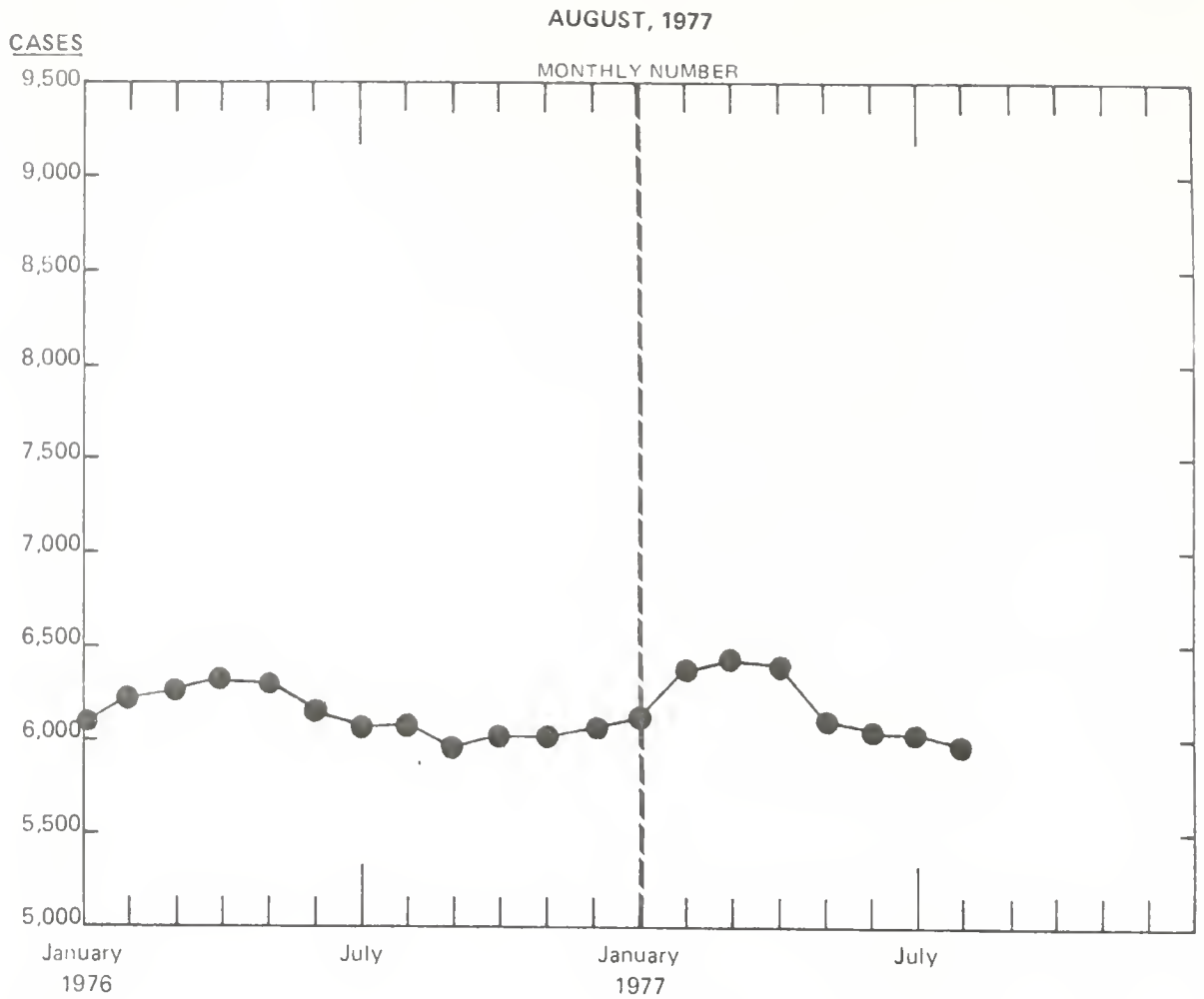
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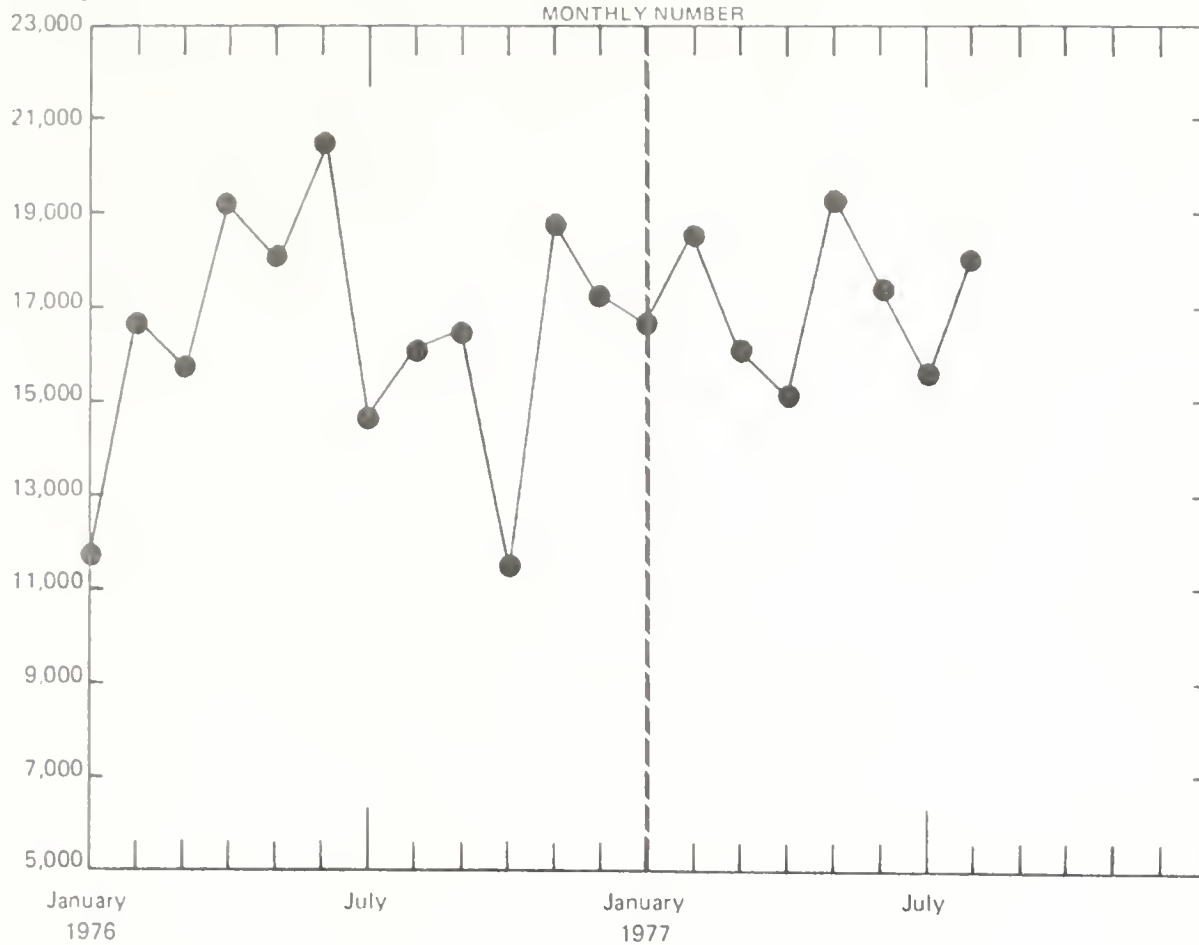
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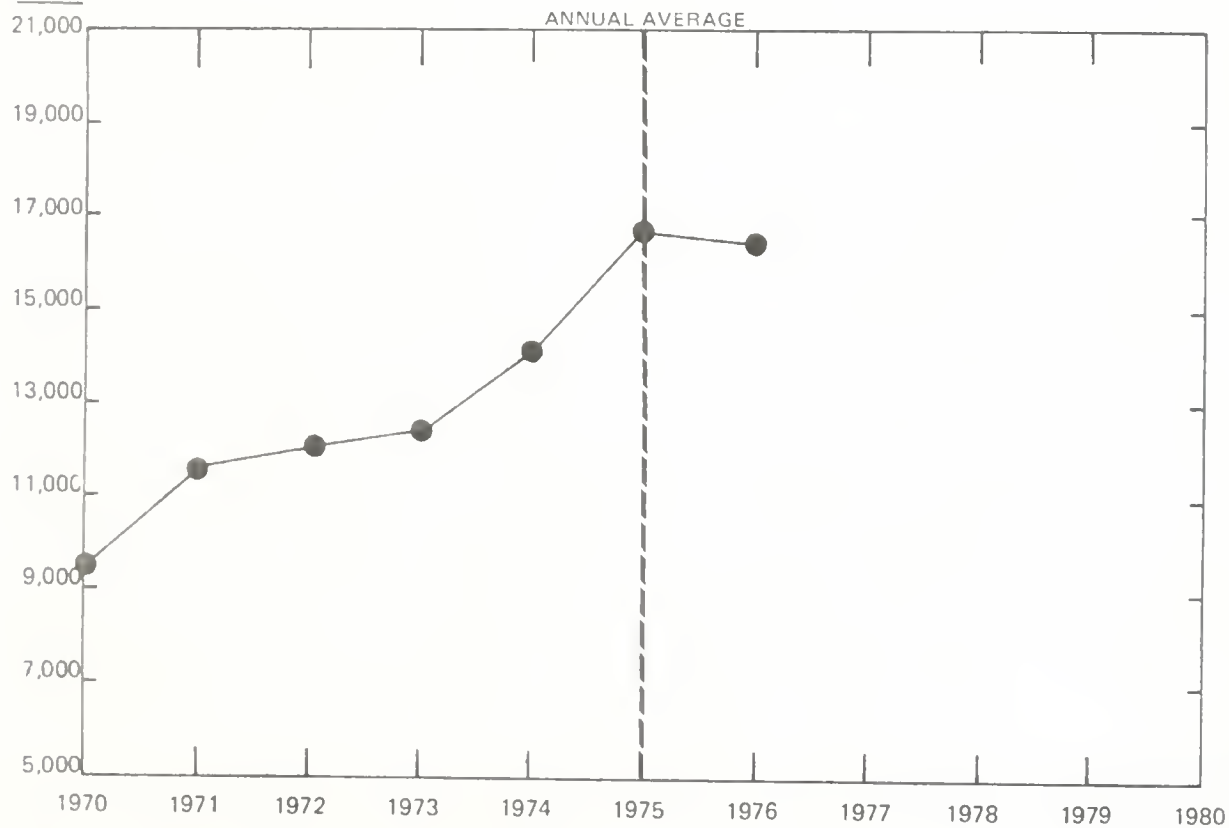


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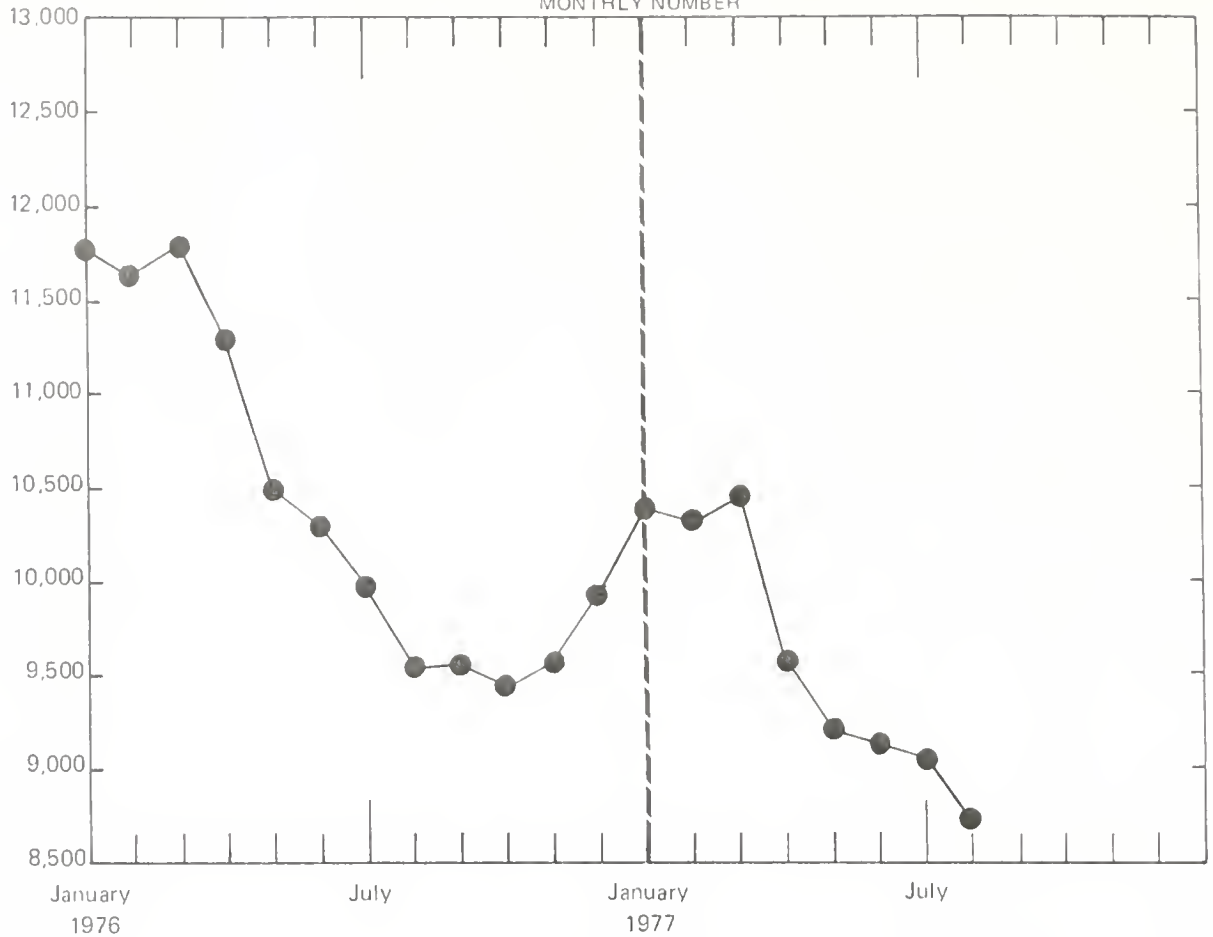
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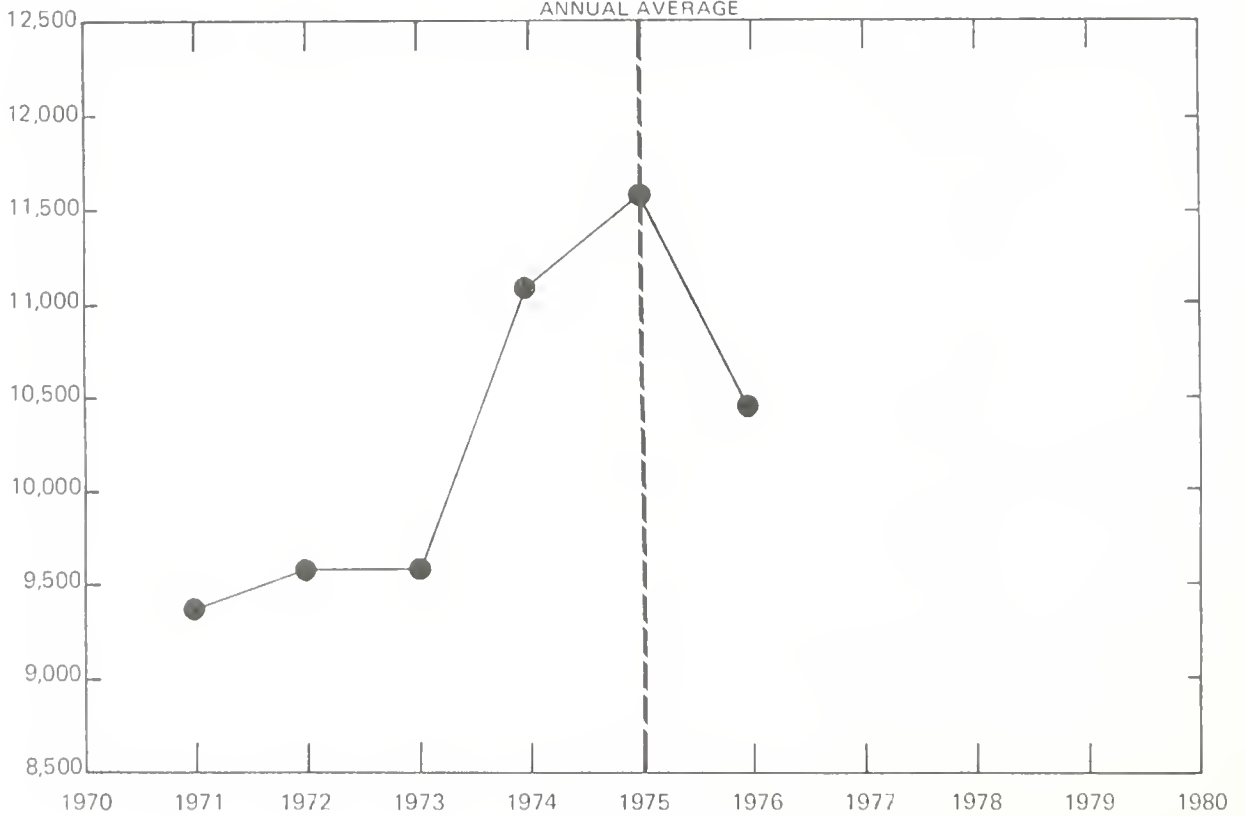
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## TABLE I. SUMMARY OF PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND MEDICAL CARE STATISTICS

AUGUST, 1977

## Obligations Incurred for Public Assistance and Medical Care

Type of Assistance	August, 1977	July, 1977	August, 1976	% Increase or Decrease from:	
				July, 1977	August, 1976
All Public Assistance . . . . .	\$5,397,244.97	\$4,885,255.99	\$4,385,300.24	+ 10.5	+ 23.1
Aid to Dependent Children . . . . .	1,049,644.00	1,074,527.00	1,043,859.00	- 2.3	+ 0.6
Unemployed Parent . . . . .	44,694.00	44,688.00	38,836.00	+ 0.01	+ 15.1
Medical Assistance . . . . .	3,911,528.98	3,358,671.13	2,936,998.06	+ 16.5	+ 33.2
County Medical Program * . . . . .	352,955.67	369,305.55	326,222.29	- 4.4	+ 8.2
General Assistance . . . . .	34,437.62	31,276.26	35,493.73	+ 10.1	- 3.0
Burials . . . . .	3,984.70	6,788.05	3,891.16	- 41.3	+ 2.4

## Number of Recipients of Public Assistance

Type of Assistance	August, 1977	July, 1977	August, 1976	% Increase or Decrease from:	
				July, 1977	August, 1976
Aid to Dependent Children:					
Families . . . . .	5,975	6,109	6,144	- 2.2	- 2.8
Children . . . . .	12,182	12,336	12,819	- 1.2	- 5.0
Eligible Adults . . . . .	5,094	5,164	5,103	- 1.4	- 0.2
Unemployed Parent (cases) . . . . .	173	173	145	-	+ 19.3
Medical Assistance . . . . .	18,112	15,759	16,050	+ 14.9	+ 12.8
General Assistance . . . . .	570	543	630	+ 5.0	- 9.5

## Average Payments to Recipients

Type of Assistance	August, 1977	July, 1977	August, 1976	% Increase or Decrease from:	
				July, 1977	August, 1976
Aid to Dependent Children:					
Per Family . . . . .	175.67	175.89	169.90	- 0.1	+ 3.4
Per Person . . . . .	60.76	61.40	58.24	- 1.0	+ 4.3
Unemployed Parent (cases) . . . . .	258.35	258.31	267.83	+ 0.02	- 3.5
Medical Assistance . . . . .	215.96	213.13	182.99	+ 1.3	+ 18.0
General Assistance . . . . .	60.42	57.60	56.34	+ 4.9	+ 7.2

\* Includes physician's services, hospitalization, nursing home care, drugs, and medical supplies, and other medical care.

TABLE II. MEDICAL ASSISTANCE BY BASIS OF ELIGIBILITY  
AUGUST, 1977

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Total Medical Assistance			
Basis of Eligibility	Number of Cases	Amount	Average per Case
TOTAL .....	<u>17,986</u>	<u>\$3,911,528.98</u>	<u>\$217.48</u>
Over 65 .....	4,892	1,620,073.51	331.17
ADC Adult .....	3,806	583,567.14	153.33
Blind. ....	205	35,778.26	174.53
ADC Child .....	4,460	307,863.18	69.03
Disabled .....	3,980	1,293,338.43	324.96
Foster Care .....	643	70,908.46	110.28

Receiving Assistance from ADC or SSI			
Basis of Eligibility	Number of Cases	Amount	Average per Case
TOTAL .....	<u>12,541</u>	<u>\$1,948,975.97</u>	<u>\$155.41</u>
Over 65 .....	2,011	302,427.09	150.39
ADC Adult .....	3,382	483,120.42	142.85
Blind. ....	78	20,537.67	263.30
ADC Child .....	4,025	273,574.06	67.97
Disabled .....	3,045	869,316.73	285.49

Not Receiving Assistance			
Basis of Eligibility	Number of Cases	Amount	Average per Case
TOTAL .....	<u>3,047</u>	<u>\$463,075.33</u>	<u>151.98</u>
Over 65 .....	989	155,108.96	156.83
ADC Adult .....	342	53,869.25	157.51
Blind. ....	120	7,130.37	59.42
ADC Child .....	460	33,476.77	72.78
Disabled .....	493	142,581.52	289.21
Foster Care .....	643	70,908.46	110.28

Medically Needy * (Not Receiving Assistance)			
Basis of Eligibility **	Number of Cases	Amount	Average per Case
TOTAL .....	<u>3,521</u>	<u>\$1,499,477.68</u>	<u>425.87</u>
Over 65 .....	2,631	1,162,537.46	441.86
ADC Adult .....	205	46,577.47	227.21
Blind. ....	14	8,110.22	579.30
ADC Child .....	6	812.35	135.39
Disabled .....	665	281,440.18	423.22

\* Income above welfare standards.

\*\* Coding errors significantly overstate Medically Needy.

## TABLE III. APPLICATIONS FOR PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

AUGUST, 1977

## Applications for Public Assistance

Applications	Aid to Dependent Children	Medical Assistance Only
Pending from Preceding Month . . . . .	267	518
Received During Month . . . . .	631	305
Total During Month . . . . .	898	823
Disposed of During Month . . . . .	606	347
Approved for Assistance . . . . .	520	270
Denied or Otherwise Disposed of . . . . .	86	77
Pending at End of Month . . . . .	292	476

## Reasons for Denial of Applications

Reasons	Aid to Dependent Children	Medical Assistance Only
<b>TOTAL . . . . .</b>	<u>86</u>	<u>77</u>
Income Exceeds Determined Need . . . . .	10	6
Resources Exceed Permitted Limits . . . . .	5	13
Residence . . . . .	2	-
Other Condition of Eligibility . . . . .	13	4
Refused to Comply with Procedural Requirement . . . . .	9	6
Withdrawal of Application by Applicant . . . . .	16	13
Denied by SSI . . . . .	X X X X X X	19
Other Reason . . . . .	31	16

TABLE IV. NUMBER OF PUBLIC ASSISTANCE CASES CLOSED AND  
REASON FOR CLOSING

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AUGUST, 1977

Reason for Closing	Aid to Dependent Children	Medical Assistance	General Assistance
TOTAL .....	<u>550</u>	<u>709</u>	<u>249</u>
Death .....	3	60	1
Employment of Recipient or Spouse .....	32	6	-
Employment of ADC Father .....	8	3	-
Employment of ADC Mother .....	18	12	54
Employment of Other Person .....	1	-	2
Support from Absent ADC Father .....	6	-	-
Support from Other Person Outside Home .....	-	-	-
Receipt of or Increase in OASDI .....	8	-	3
Receipt of State or Local Benefits .....	6	2	9
Receipt of Other Federal Benefits .....	6	3	4
Receipt of Non-Government Benefits .....	-	-	-
Other Change in Income or Resources .....	138	29	11
Decrease in Requirements .....	-	-	-
No Longer Blind, Disabled, or Incapacitated .....	19	43	-
Admitted to Institution .....	-	4	5
ADC Parent Returned to Home or Remarried .....	-	-	-
Change in Law or Agency Policy (other than need) .....	-	198	-
No Eligible Child in Home .....	33	19	-
Loss of Residence .....	76	22	20
Refusal to Comply with Procedural Requirements .....	80	7	1
Transferred to Another Assistance Program .....	33	4	38
Transferred to Medical Assistance .....	-	-	-
Other Reasons .....	83	297	101

TABLE V. TOTAL EXPENDITURES FOR PUBLIC ASSISTANCE  
AND MEDICAL CARE BY COUNTY

AUGUST, 1977

County	Total	Aid to Dependant Children	Medical <sup>1</sup> Assistance (Medicaid)	General Assistance and County Medical
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$5,348,566.27</b>	<b>\$1,049,644.00</b>	<b>\$3,911,528.98</b>	<b>\$387,393.29</b>
Beaverhead	38,635.53	9,440.00	26,975.76	2,219.77
Big Horn	74,300.26	25,540.00	48,760.26	-
Blaine	60,368.40	22,555.00	37,733.40	80.00
Broadwater	10,169.21	2,025.00	8,019.21	125.00
Carbon	61,844.70	7,654.00	53,716.45	474.25
Carter	7,440.41	1,056.00	6,324.66	59.75
Cascade	708,130.39	131,301.00	478,311.79	98,517.60
Chouteau	29,146.40	1,214.00	27,122.55	809.85
Custer	91,826.85	7,212.00	83,524.35	1,090.50
Daniels	10,369.38	987.00	9,382.38	-
Dawson	47,491.28	6,924.00	40,208.66	358.62
Deer Lodge	109,817.49	23,979.00	83,748.29	2,090.20
Fallon	9,524.93	3,446.00	6,042.55	36.38
Fergus	93,636.65	9,692.00	80,528.22	3,416.43
Flathead	306,343.53	50,706.00	198,935.74	56,701.79
Gallatin	116,088.33	16,619.00	77,576.40	21,892.93
Garfield	9,531.52	106.00	2,443.73	6,981.79
Glacier	122,428.57	50,071.00	70,399.90	1,957.67
Golden Valley	7,493.27	264.00	7,229.27	-
Granite	12,887.80	3,149.00	7,670.23	2,068.57
Hill	140,416.44	53,981.00	86,278.80	156.64
Jefferson	257,450.12	6,572.00	250,820.84	57.28
Judith Basin	5,862.35	1,415.00	3,521.93	925.42
Lake	149,353.84	36,224.00	112,828.28	301.56
Lewis & Clark	246,272.25	51,233.00	190,518.22	4,521.03
Liberty	19,991.06	186.00	8,940.55	10,864.51
Lincoln	105,328.06	30,521.00	68,130.89	6,676.17
Madison	34,656.29	2,739.00	18,203.21	13,714.08
McCone	9,808.37	1,096.00	3,448.40	5,263.97
Meagher	8,289.74	1,357.00	6,932.74	-
Mineral	25,428.75	3,970.00	21,454.05	4.70
Missoula	365,577.09	102,901.00	243,421.40	19,254.69
Musselshell	22,698.65	7,749.00	14,528.55	421.10
Park	74,161.27	9,699.00	64,220.56	241.71
Petroleum	1,295.60	705.00	590.60	-
Phillips	38,832.04	3,700.00	34,559.33	572.71
Pondera	39,906.75	11,042.00	28,226.64	638.11
Powder River	2,160.58	385.00	1,775.58	-
Powell	40,927.03	6,474.00	33,430.72	1,022.31
Prairie	5,608.23	207.00	5,350.00	51.23
Ravalli	121,471.19	18,340.00	98,673.52	4,457.67
Richland	62,984.23	8,728.00	48,086.43	6,169.80
Roosevelt	102,820.39	29,052.00	67,500.41	6,267.98
Rosebud	64,193.66	20,229.00	40,073.13	3,891.53
Sanders	60,584.69	11,718.00	47,516.89	1,349.80
Sheridan	14,899.87	3,133.00	11,623.12	143.75
Silver Bow	538,800.76	84,610.00	362,084.69	92,106.07
Stillwater	35,762.60	4,209.00	31,553.60	-
Sweet Grass	13,118.92	2,022.00	11,096.92	-
Teton	27,262.79	3,218.00	23,852.15	192.64
Toole	32,941.61	6,956.00	25,471.44	514.17
Treasure	1,286.10	731.00	555.10	-
Valley	64,732.60	18,535.00	43,933.14	2,264.46
Wheatland	13,591.84	3,034.00	10,432.84	125.00
Wibaux	13,259.98	703.00	12,415.03	141.95
Yellowstone	550,942.66	128,330.00	416,412.51	6,200.15
Institutions	107,169.71	-	107,169.71	-

\* See Table XII for breakdown of expenditures included.

<sup>1</sup> Includes \$1,243.26 for 22 persons for which county breakdown was not provided.

TABLE VI. AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN, BY COUNTY COMPARED WITH  
SAME MONTH LAST YEAR AND FIVE YEARS AGO

AUGUST, 1977

County	August, 1977				August, 1976		August, 1972	
	Number of Cases	Number of Recipients	Amount	Average per Case	Number of Cases	Average per Case	Number of Cases	Average per Case
TOTAL . . . . .	5,975	17,276	\$1,049,644	\$175.67	6,144	\$169.89	6,419	\$135.25
Beaverhead . . . . .	61	162	9,440	154.75	54	151.83	48	117.06
Big Horn . . . . .	174	465	25,540	146.78	156	132.57	125	106.89
Blaine . . . . .	144	381	22,555	156.63	130	146.57	115	120.62
Broadwater . . . . .	11	41	2,025	184.09	13	191.07	9	120.33
Carbon . . . . .	43	125	7,654	178.00	36	167.11	27	131.59
Carter . . . . .	9	21	1,056	117.33	7	166.57	6	103.83
Cascade . . . . .	720	2,110	131,301	182.36	804	180.69	1,101	142.04
Chouteau . . . . .	10	20	1,214	121.40	12	145.25	28	105.21
Custer . . . . .	48	126	7,212	150.25	54	140.35	68	116.50
Daniels . . . . .	5	13	987	197.40	3	70.66	6	111.50
Dawson . . . . .	41	126	6,924	168.87	46	150.15	42	138.80
Deer Lodge . . . . .	129	382	23,979	185.88	120	170.05	129	132.39
Fallon . . . . .	18	56	3,446	191.44	17	144.82	18	146.50
Fergus . . . . .	56	165	9,692	173.07	51	182.11	66	135.56
Flathead . . . . .	273	775	50,706	185.73	314	184.79	238	129.23
Gallatin . . . . .	95	257	16,619	174.93	111	164.57	82	138.79
Garfield . . . . .	1	2	106	106.00	2	123.50	3	93.66
Glacier . . . . .	323	874	50,071	155.01	321	152.02	423	129.15
Golden Valley . . . . .	2	4	264	132.00	4	103.75	2	36.00
Granite . . . . .	17	50	3,149	185.23	21	162.38	13	121.92
Hill . . . . .	295	914	53,981	182.98	297	178.84	208	123.35
Jefferson . . . . .	33	99	6,572	199.15	38	171.60	29	125.10
Judith Basin . . . . .	9	24	1,415	157.22	10	211.40	2	118.00
Lake . . . . .	206	601	36,224	175.84	187	183.45	148	133.17
Lewis & Clark . . . . .	280	870	51,233	182.97	287	182.98	273	127.99
Liberty . . . . .	2	6	186	93.00	6	114.66	5	166.60
Lincoln . . . . .	166	518	30,521	183.86	158	187.72	133	146.51
Madison . . . . .	18	44	2,739	152.16	19	175.73	8	124.00
McCone . . . . .	6	15	1,096	182.66	2	168.00	8	103.62
Meagher . . . . .	11	21	1,357	123.36	9	148.44	6	83.50
Mineral . . . . .	25	68	3,970	158.80	23	161.95	23	132.00
Missoula . . . . .	560	1,574	102,901	183.75	558	171.11	521	144.11
Musselshell . . . . .	44	129	7,749	176.11	36	139.47	24	139.16
Park . . . . .	60	167	9,699	161.65	70	164.80	82	139.91
Petroleum . . . . .	3	11	705	235.00	2	206.00	1	92.00
Phillips . . . . .	24	72	3,700	154.16	29	127.10	23	133.86
Pondera . . . . .	64	175	11,042	172.53	76	163.94	85	125.01
Powder River . . . . .	2	5	385	192.50	3	178.00	6	123.50
Powell . . . . .	41	133	6,474	157.90	41	159.87	39	139.02
Prairie . . . . .	1	3	207	207.00	4	139.50	7	92.85
Ravalli . . . . .	106	315	18,340	173.01	111	170.16	91	127.48
Richland . . . . .	56	149	8,728	155.85	54	135.94	74	122.56
Roosevelt . . . . .	184	497	29,052	157.89	185	141.69	252	130.29
Rosebud . . . . .	126	354	20,229	160.54	119	164.31	123	118.27
Sanders . . . . .	66	199	11,718	177.54	90	172.05	31	134.38
Sheridan . . . . .	23	50	3,133	136.21	23	123.86	20	128.95
Silver Bow . . . . .	446	1,376	84,610	189.70	462	184.34	514	143.72
Stillwater . . . . .	25	66	4,209	168.36	18	179.05	16	139.31
Sweet Grass . . . . .	11	32	2,022	183.81	9	150.66	11	128.00
Teton . . . . .	20	57	3,218	160.90	28	141.42	19	129.36
Toole . . . . .	41	117	6,956	169.65	44	187.43	53	134.90
Treasure . . . . .	5	14	731	146.20	5	114.80	5	109.60
Valley . . . . .	104	307	18,535	178.22	118	181.94	132	134.21
Wheatland . . . . .	16	53	3,034	189.62	12	206.41	10	130.50
Wibaux . . . . .	5	13	703	140.60	4	182.50	2	190.50
Yellowstone . . . . .	711	2,073	128,330	180.49	731	166.59	886	143.04



TABLE VII MEDICAL ASSISTANCE BY COUNTY COMPARED WITH  
SAME MONTH LAST YEAR AND FIVE YEARS AGO

AUGUST, 1977

County	August, 1977		August, 1976		August, 1972	
	Number of Cases	Payments <sup>1</sup>	Number of Cases	Payments <sup>3</sup>	Number of Cases	Payments
<b>TOTAL . . . .</b>	<b>18,112</b>	<b>\$3,911,528</b>	<b>16,050</b>	<b>\$2,936,998</b>	<b>12,284</b>	<b>\$1,047,414</b>
Beaverhead . . . .	197	26,975	185	34,108	136	11,064
Big Horn . . . .	214	48,760	155	28,676	112	7,641
Blaine . . . .	203	37,733	157	24,871	125	10,032
Broadwater . . . .	45	8,019	42	9,369	39	1,991
Carbon . . . .	225	53,716	189	29,398	96	6,040
Carter . . . .	29	6,324	18	9,460	14	2,739
Cascade . . . .	2,328	478,311	2,106	375,802	1,931	184,792
Chouteau . . . .	83	27,122	80	22,560	68	5,949
Custer . . . .	304	83,524	242	85,535	141	9,630
Daniels . . . .	46	9,382	42	9,504	30	2,547
Dawson . . . .	142	40,208	133	20,131	84	9,041
Deer Lodge . . . .	393	83,748	355	74,617	235	16,444
Fallon . . . .	64	6,042	66	20,270	30	4,237
Fergus . . . .	362	80,528	289	56,752	203	27,113
Flathead . . . .	877	198,935	968	144,107	750	87,250
Gallatin . . . .	400	77,576	316	52,869	221	20,887
Garfield . . . .	17	2,443	8	1,619	17	307
Glacier . . . .	260	70,399	237	50,069	299	25,104
Golden Valley . . . .	10	7,229	11	1,748	11	1,258
Granite . . . .	40	7,670	66	9,483	43	1,559
Hill . . . .	559	86,278	512	67,715	221	20,580
Jefferson . . . .	338	250,820	282	58,134	88	8,551
Judith Basin . . . .	33	3,521	45	6,312	25	5,151
Lake . . . .	594	112,828	577	86,461	447	25,194
Lewis & Clark . . . .	956	190,518	835	194,898	526	49,981
Liberty . . . .	28	8,940	23	6,529	11	431
Lincoln . . . .	438	68,130	411	50,822	257	16,106
Madison . . . .	87	18,203	86	16,287	57	2,109
McCone . . . .	16	3,448	17	5,815	15	1,945
Meagher . . . .	29	6,932	32	11,104	30	1,882
Mineral . . . .	80	21,454	77	21,295	49	3,260
Missoula . . . .	1,482	243,421	1,349	231,871	894	67,811
Musselshell . . . .	127	14,528	93	9,154	97	6,715
Park . . . .	317	64,220	277	38,697	194	14,473
Petroleum . . . .	5	590	3	841	4	387
Phillips . . . .	156	34,559	142	23,103	113	5,934
Pondera . . . .	137	28,226	125	30,222	119	10,898
Powder River . . . .	16	1,775	9	1,831	10	1,367
Powell . . . .	145	33,430	149	37,071	72	10,567
Prairie . . . .	36	5,350	32	5,248	34	3,035
Ravalli . . . .	442	98,673	473	70,248	304	27,016
Richland . . . .	237	48,086	192	33,198	148	10,465
Roosevelt . . . .	288	67,500	284	53,350	328	25,547
Rosebud . . . .	140	40,073	110	21,484	74	6,161
Sanders . . . .	244	47,516	251	55,258	124	9,481
Sheridan . . . .	75	11,623	73	13,305	49	8,796
Silver Bow . . . .	1,580	362,084	1,229	262,872	1,036	77,856
Stillwater . . . .	98	31,553	84	19,082	53	4,182
Sweet Grass . . . .	58	11,096	51	7,858	37	4,928
Teton . . . .	110	23,852	99	16,922	70	9,297
Toole . . . .	153	25,471	122	11,422	104	6,205
Treasure . . . .	7	555	10	960	12	1,459
Valley . . . .	267	43,933	277	54,496	275	19,869
Wheatland . . . .	61	10,432	37	7,645	32	2,713
Wibaux . . . .	41	12,415	21	6,037	10	476
Yellowstone . . . .	2,135	416,412	1,864	302,729	1,749	133,649
Institutions . . . .	336	107,169	268	29,344	31	7,285

<sup>1</sup> Includes \$1,243 for 22 cases for which county breakdown was not provided.

<sup>2</sup> Unduplicated Count.

<sup>3</sup> Includes \$6,402 for 44 cases for which county breakdown was not provided.

TABLE VIII. NUMBER OF RECIPIENTS AND AMOUNT OF PAYMENTS FOR  
MEDICAL ASSISTANCE BY TYPE, BY COUNTY

AUGUST, 1977

(cents omitted)

County	TOTAL *1		INPATIENT HOSPITAL		PHYSICIAN SERVICES 2		PRESCRIBED DRUGS	
	Number of Recipients	Payments	Number of Recipients	Payments	Number of Recipients	Payments	Number of Recipients	Payments
<b>TOTAL . . . . .</b>	<b>18,112</b>	<b>\$3,911,528</b>	<b>1,001</b>	<b>\$695,556</b>	<b>9,608</b>	<b>\$587,552</b>	<b>10,549</b>	<b>\$251,920</b>
Beaverhead . . . . .	197	26,975	11	2,483	119	5,129	103	1,810
Big Horn . . . . .	214	48,760	18	10,646	94	5,231	84	1,689
Blaine . . . . .	203	37,733	9	5,473	100	10,263	92	1,749
Broadwater . . . . .	45	8,019	1	124	23	1,262	28	593
Carbon . . . . .	225	53,716	12	3,547	136	5,858	142	4,188
Carter . . . . .	29	6,324	1	954	18	546	18	809
Cascade . . . . .	2,328	478,311	147	112,156	1,315	103,233	1,307	29,194
Chouteau . . . . .	83	27,122	3	1,057	53	2,301	64	2,408
Custer . . . . .	304	83,524	13	12,039	162	10,977	188	6,032
Daniels . . . . .	46	9,382	-	-	20	496	31	951
Dawson . . . . .	142	40,208	9	18,552	67	3,303	90	2,167
Deer Lodge . . . . .	393	83,748	33	14,792	217	10,383	248	7,767
Fallon . . . . .	64	6,042	1	512	33	817	44	1,604
Fergus . . . . .	362	80,528	11	5,135	177	4,109	235	5,073
Flathead . . . . .	877	198,935	38	33,103	447	21,964	488	11,285
Gallatin . . . . .	400	77,576	11	6,680	210	10,567	242	7,120
Garfield . . . . .	17	2,443	1	40	9	1,646	10	158
Glacier . . . . .	260	70,399	19	23,281	106	9,055	90	2,070
Golden Valley . . . . .	10	7,229	1	5,166	7	252	4	64
Granite . . . . .	40	7,670	3	2,285	19	2,345	28	757
Hill . . . . .	559	86,278	26	16,697	275	22,754	291	6,341
Jefferson . . . . .	338	250,820	21	15,839	258	35,495	233	4,682
Judith Basin . . . . .	33	3,521	1	2	13	515	20	682
Lake . . . . .	594	112,828	38	27,250	356	16,972	372	9,886
Lewis & Clark . . . . .	956	190,518	45	27,222	570	31,165	562	13,484
Liberty . . . . .	28	8,940	-	-	10	767	19	746
Lincoln . . . . .	438	68,130	20	11,517	163	9,281	298	6,408
Madison . . . . .	87	18,203	1	699	27	1,674	63	1,384
McCone . . . . .	16	3,448	-	-	8	492	11	303
Meagher . . . . .	29	6,932	3	384	10	324	20	853
Mineral . . . . .	80	21,454	3	4,670	43	2,096	52	1,269
Missoula . . . . .	1,482	243,421	79	47,441	833	43,472	889	19,966
Musselshell . . . . .	127	14,528	6	4,553	62	2,097	65	975
Park . . . . .	317	64,220	16	5,580	153	6,369	188	4,638
Petroleum . . . . .	5	590	-	-	1	19	4	70
Phillips . . . . .	156	34,559	4	2,220	65	4,021	107	2,980
Pondera . . . . .	137	28,226	13	5,844	60	6,148	83	2,691
Powder River . . . . .	16	1,775	-	-	5	590	9	257
Powell . . . . .	145	33,430	6	2,717	46	2,652	100	3,634
Prairie . . . . .	36	5,350	1	124	14	710	29	868
Ravalli . . . . .	442	98,673	12	13,769	270	12,589	314	7,011
Richland . . . . .	237	48,086	11	7,914	124	8,331	145	3,615
Roosevelt . . . . .	288	67,500	38	32,800	155	8,343	109	2,105
Rosebud . . . . .	140	40,073	12	19,467	76	5,961	59	1,194
Sanders . . . . .	244	47,516	8	4,262	134	4,910	162	4,533
Sheridan . . . . .	75	11,623	4	1,222	14	389	51	809
Silver Bow . . . . .	1,580	362,084	132	69,222	805	52,077	871	17,052
Stillwater . . . . .	98	31,553	3	3,022	34	1,340	49	1,401
Sweet Grass . . . . .	58	11,096	5	1,610	19	947	40	832
Teton . . . . .	110	23,852	4	3,249	58	3,431	82	2,103
Toole . . . . .	153	25,471	9	6,769	73	4,487	102	2,952
Treasure . . . . .	7	555	-	-	3	80	3	22
Valley . . . . .	267	43,933	13	9,166	158	7,848	157	4,140
Wheatland . . . . .	61	10,432	3	835	42	1,761	40	747
Wibaux . . . . .	41	12,415	2	407	13	516	32	846
Yellowstone . . . . .	2,135	416,412	107	83,911	1,159	69,248	1,166	26,186
Institutions . . . . .	336	107,169	13	7,125	166	7,909	216	6,741

\* Includes \$152,131.55 for miscellaneous services for which columns are not provided.

1 Includes \$1,243.26 for 22 recipients for which county breakdown was not provided.

2 Includes \$3.54 for 1 recipient for which county breakdown was not provided.



TABLE IX. NUMBER OF RECIPIENTS AND AMOUNT OF PAYMENTS FOR  
MEDICAL ASSISTANCE BY TYPE, BY COUNTY  
AUGUST, 1977

County	DENTAL SERVICES <sup>1</sup>		SKILLED NURS. HOME <sup>2</sup>		INTERMEDIATE (High) <sup>3</sup>		INTERMEDIATE (Low)	
	Number of Recipients	Payments	Number of Recipients	Payments	Number of Recipients	Payments	Number of Recipients	Payments
<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>1,584</b>	<b>\$143,178</b>	<b>825</b>	<b>\$413,807</b>	<b>2,741</b>	<b>\$1,430,433</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>\$6,996</b>
Beaverhead.....	21	1,282	13	6,080	18	7,417	-	-
Big Horn.....	34	3,905	22	11,550	11	5,413	-	-
Blaine.....	12	934	1	121	53	15,849	-	-
Broadwater.....	5	915	1	439	11	4,078	-	-
Carbon.....	12	969	24	13,281	40	19,513	-	-
Carter.....	-	-	5	2,329	2	1,294	-	-
Cascade.....	185	20,170	66	39,407	223	131,064	4	736
Chouteau.....	5	228	5	2,937	37	17,164	-	-
Custer.....	12	426	7	2,788	83	37,448	-	-
Daniels.....	1	31	-	-	13	6,991	-	-
Dawson.....	18	745	8	5,581	17	7,548	-	-
Deer Lodge.....	24	2,137	6	3,971	65	37,599	-	-
Fallon.....	5	1,242	1	119	-	-	-	-
Fergus.....	37	2,333	6	3,263	127	51,494	1	212
Flathead.....	115	12,601	73	36,428	141	62,396	1	485
Gallatin.....	34	4,019	20	7,974	82	35,258	-	-
Garfield.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Glacier.....	16	991	11	4,011	42	23,559	-	-
Golden Valley.....	-	-	-	-	3	1,586	-	-
Granite.....	10	1,365	-	-	1	754	-	-
Hill.....	38	2,578	4	730	63	30,159	-	-
Jefferson.....	27	693	15	8,672	190	176,407	-	-
Judith Basin.....	10	394	1	616	2	1,101	-	-
Lake.....	41	4,753	14	6,320	80	36,268	8	3,868
Lewis & Clark.....	81	6,745	25	10,679	152	77,973	-	-
Liberty.....	1	44	2	839	14	5,932	-	-
Lincoln.....	48	6,135	26	13,089	31	15,542	-	-
Madison.....	9	1,068	-	-	27	11,416	-	-
McCone.....	1	62	1	675	4	1,646	-	-
Meagher.....	4	130	2	1,317	6	2,844	-	-
Mineral.....	9	951	5	3,213	13	7,466	-	-
Missoula.....	165	15,548	83	30,532	132	61,984	3	356
Musselshell.....	19	940	2	330	8	3,403	-	-
Park.....	30	3,831	9	2,913	74	35,544	-	-
Petroleum.....	-	-	-	-	1	496	-	-
Phillips.....	12	937	-	-	31	20,614	2	414
Pondera.....	9	396	8	3,846	19	7,594	-	-
Powder River.....	1	32	1	714	-	-	-	-
Powell.....	20	1,952	8	4,307	32	15,446	-	-
Prairie.....	1	35	4	1,077	5	1,819	-	-
Ravalli.....	23	3,405	39	16,300	85	38,482	1	289
Richland.....	23	805	5	2,867	29	11,010	1	362
Roosevelt.....	14	1,220	2	1,446	31	15,383	-	-
Rosebud.....	15	1,136	6	567	21	6,537	-	-
Sanders.....	19	1,771	33	16,585	26	10,499	-	-
Sheridan.....	7	241	13	6,770	3	1,633	-	-
Silver Bow.....	155	16,004	58	36,905	211	137,834	-	-
Stillwater.....	3	71	16	8,160	36	16,624	-	-
Sweet Grass.....	6	697	5	1,903	14	4,394	-	-
Teton.....	8	1,329	19	10,123	5	2,821	-	-
Toole.....	3	87	5	2,950	13	6,666	-	-
Treasure.....	2	153	-	-	1	270	-	-
Valley.....	27	2,048	12	5,566	25	11,250	-	-
Wheatland.....	3	601	1	429	13	5,146	-	-
Wibaux.....	1	15	11	6,466	7	3,325	-	-
Yellowstone.....	187	11,788	111	64,546	214	96,937	2	270
Institutions.....	11	196	3	1,472	145	80,930	-	-

1 Includes \$ 70.93 for 5 recipients for which county breakdown was not provided.

2 Includes \$580.69 for 7 recipients for which county breakdown was not provided.

3 Includes \$588.10 for 9 recipients for which county breakdown was not provided.

TABLE X. MEDICAL ASSISTANCE NUMBER OF RECIPIENTS AND AMOUNT  
OF PAYMENTS BY BASIS OF ELIGIBILITY, BY COUNTY

AUGUST, 1977

(cents omitted)

County	AGED		BLIND & DISABLED		ADC ADULTS		ADC CHILDREN <sup>1</sup>	
	Number of Cases	Amount	Number of Cases	Amount	Number of Cases	Amount	Number of Cases	Amount
<b>TOTAL . . . .</b>	<b>4,943</b>	<b>\$1,620,073</b>	<b>4,252</b>	<b>\$1,329,116</b>	<b>3,833</b>	<b>\$583,567</b>	<b>5,126</b>	<b>\$378,771</b>
Beaverhead . . . . .	55	13,030	46	5,852	36	6,119	60	1,973
Big Horn . . . . .	56	20,465	59	13,365	49	8,586	51	6,342
Blaine . . . . .	56	11,074	53	16,024	40	5,611	54	5,023
Broadwater . . . . .	25	5,466	9	1,843	7	563	4	145
Carbon . . . . .	105	34,096	54	13,172	23	3,231	44	3,215
Carter . . . . .	11	3,796	5	825	6	1,385	7	316
Cascade . . . . .	466	160,661	543	182,661	566	77,929	764	57,058
Chouteau . . . . .	42	16,627	26	9,221	6	217	9	1,056
Custer . . . . .	102	32,065	107	35,724	45	13,984	51	1,750
Daniels . . . . .	30	8,428	13	928	2	21	1	4
Dawson . . . . .	40	13,543	36	19,751	29	3,829	37	3,084
Deer Lodge . . . . .	97	45,001	59	17,232	106	14,047	131	7,468
Fallon . . . . .	19	1,541	11	2,116	16	1,884	18	500
Fergus . . . . .	170	52,076	92	18,195	45	7,002	56	3,252
Flathead . . . . .	267	100,464	182	42,224	202	31,993	228	24,253
Gallatin . . . . .	149	47,282	70	14,281	95	12,868	86	3,143
Garfield . . . . .	5	121	3	120	3	1,084	7	1,116
Glacier . . . . .	71	20,175	60	24,063	59	9,284	71	16,876
Golden Valley . . . . .	5	1,272	4	665	1	5,291	-	-
Granite . . . . .	6	923	8	3,033	10	3,291	16	421
Hill . . . . .	95	28,490	90	18,513	166	17,680	209	21,594
Jefferson . . . . .	67	31,048	207	205,844	30	8,378	34	5,549
Judith Basin . . . . .	11	1,684	7	1,254	4	115	11	466
Lake . . . . .	155	40,685	141	43,433	119	20,305	180	8,403
Lewis & Clark . . . . .	222	88,832	228	50,273	213	29,672	294	21,739
Liberty . . . . .	16	5,890	6	2,983	1	25	5	41
Lincoln . . . . .	79	20,695	91	25,040	125	14,335	145	8,058
Madison . . . . .	53	13,945	9	972	8	829	17	2,454
McCone . . . . .	5	1,395	7	1,500	2	380	2	172
Meagher . . . . .	14	3,787	4	2,414	6	544	5	186
Mineral . . . . .	37	11,490	13	3,421	14	1,446	16	5,094
Missoula . . . . .	310	100,330	338	67,441	376	49,546	461	26,102
Musselshell . . . . .	35	5,359	27	1,627	25	5,503	40	2,037
Park . . . . .	116	34,473	81	20,620	56	6,048	64	3,077
Petroleum . . . . .	1	18	1	528	1	5	2	38
Phillips . . . . .	62	18,560	37	11,828	24	2,034	33	2,135
Pondera . . . . .	47	16,000	38	5,184	27	4,186	28	2,855
Powder River . . . . .	1	10	3	780	4	660	8	323
Powell . . . . .	60	22,262	16	5,320	27	2,897	42	2,946
Prairie . . . . .	23	4,296	6	560	1	28	6	464
Ravalli . . . . .	195	64,793	88	23,001	73	6,138	87	4,740
Richland . . . . .	69	12,549	55	20,575	40	8,817	73	6,143
Roosevelt . . . . .	59	14,920	62	30,012	69	11,823	98	10,742
Rosebud . . . . .	28	6,358	25	14,642	40	14,992	49	4,079
Sanders . . . . .	79	26,609	58	14,102	40	3,460	67	3,344
Sheridan . . . . .	33	8,532	14	1,106	9	1,397	19	586
Silver Bow . . . . .	389	168,710	302	89,071	377	66,993	514	37,308
Stillwater . . . . .	61	21,483	19	6,816	7	561	11	2,692
Sweet Grass . . . . .	32	7,376	14	1,583	6	1,895	7	241
Teton . . . . .	44	13,444	34	9,041	13	481	19	884
Toole . . . . .	38	9,906	28	7,453	39	4,779	49	3,332
Treasure . . . . .	2	279	-	-	1	74	4	201
Valley . . . . .	74	19,094	58	12,787	50	8,295	85	3,755
Wheatland . . . . .	21	5,414	14	2,513	8	2,065	19	439
Wibaux . . . . .	25	10,043	11	1,989	1	12	4	370
Yellowstone . . . . .	501	160,809	451	128,829	484	78,901	701	47,872
Institutions . . . . .	107	32,373	229	74,736	1	21	1	38

<sup>1</sup> Total includes \$70,908.46 for 648 Foster Care Children, including \$1,243.26 for 22 children for which county breakdown was not provided.

TABLE X.1. GENERAL ASSISTANCE BY COUNTY COMPARED WITH  
SAME MONTH LAST YEAR AND FIVE YEARS AGO

AUGUST, 1977

County	August, 1977			August, 1976		August, 1972	
	Number of Cases	Amount	Average per Case	Number of Cases	Average per Case	Number of Cases	Average per Case
<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>570</b>	<b>\$34,437.62</b>	<b>\$60.42</b>	<b>630</b>	<b>\$56.34</b>	<b>756</b>	<b>\$49.54</b>
Beaverhead .....	16	316.27	19.76	37	17.88	3	9.07
Big Horn .....	-	-	-	1	58.00	-	-
Blaine .....	1	14.00	14.00	1	7.50	-	-
Broadwater .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Carbon .....	5	292.12	58.42	8	68.50	5	48.02
Carter .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cascade .....	61	3,255.83	53.37	75	53.42	92	54.30
Chouteau .....	1	100.00	100.00	2	63.31	11	11.90
Custer .....	1	60.00	60.00	3	84.58	3	26.33
Danields .....	-	-	-	-	-	6	72.67
Dawson .....	2	150.87	75.43	3	30.00	4	63.92
Deer Lodge .....	23	1,722.47	74.89	20	78.10	52	61.43
Fallon .....	-	-	-	1	10.00	4	74.85
Fergus .....	17	958.74	56.40	23	56.71	14	32.32
Flathead .....	17	652.07	38.36	10	59.88	32	29.96
Gallatin .....	6	309.48	51.58	3	52.51	3	104.21
Garfield .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Glacier .....	1	60.00	60.00	2	60.45	10	44.56
Golden Valley .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Granite .....	5	898.07	179.61	3	123.18	5	73.02
Hill .....	3	118.85	39.62	8	56.56	5	28.02
Jefferson .....	1	3.10	3.10	1	100.00	3	33.42
Judith Basin .....	-	-	-	1	48.00	4	26.91
Lake .....	7	192.50	27.50	12	31.44	35	77.10
Lewis & Clark .....	8	391.15	78.23	14	18.78	31	42.51
Liberty .....	-	-	-	-	-	1	26.92
Lincoln .....	21	1,407.96	67.05	19	58.86	35	26.94
Madison .....	-	-	-	1	81.00	-	-
McCone .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Meagher .....	-	-	-	-	-	1	63.00
Mineral .....	-	-	-	2	59.87	2	21.75
Missoula .....	95	3,219.24	33.89	119	42.20	75	39.93
Musselshell .....	2	252.00	126.00	2	126.00	7	21.57
Park .....	5	179.88	35.98	2	125.00	11	29.20
Petroleum .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Phillips .....	4	291.56	72.89	4	50.01	3	30.06
Pondera .....	2	181.00	90.50	6	51.20	14	30.18
Powder River .....	-	-	-	1	150.00	-	-
Powell .....	2	50.00	25.00	4	32.50	1	56.90
Prairie .....	1	30.48	30.48	-	-	2	38.99
Ravalli .....	15	988.14	65.88	9	76.19	10	57.32
Richland .....	6	714.15	119.02	3	54.04	5	48.83
Roosevelt .....	1	87.04	87.04	1	95.00	-	-
Rosebud .....	1	118.00	118.00	1	25.00	1	40.00
Sanders .....	2	67.60	33.80	6	10.11	4	28.15
Sheridan .....	1	143.75	143.75	1	247.95	11	71.15
Silver Bow .....	162	13,005.85	80.28	169	78.48	196	59.26
Stillwater .....	-	-	-	1	32.75	2	58.72
Sweet Grass .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Teton .....	3	23.71	7.90	4	38.63	2	44.75
Toole .....	15	243.60	16.24	3	60.83	3	42.17
Treasure .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Valley .....	9	576.27	64.03	1	19.03	14	36.11
Wheatland .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wibaux .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Yellowstone .....	48	3,361.87	70.04	43	42.32	34	44.11

TABLE XII. ANALYSIS OF GENERAL ASSISTANCE BY FAMILY  
AND ONE-PERSON CASES BY COUNTY

AUGUST, 1977

County	CASES RECEIVING GENERAL ASSISTANCE				OBLIGATIONS INCURRED FOR:		
	Total Number of Cases	FAMILY CASES		Number of One Person Cases	Total	Family Cases	One Person Cases
		Number	Per in Family Cases				
<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>570</b>	<b>186</b>	<b>603</b>	<b>384</b>	<b>\$34,437.62</b>	<b>\$12,415.83</b>	<b>\$22,021.79</b>
Beaverhead.....	16	3	8	13	316.27	37.00	279.27
Big Horn.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Blaine.....	1	1	2	-	14.00	14.00	-
Broadwater.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Carbon.....	5	2	10	3	292.12	117.04	175.08
Carter.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cascade.....	61	7	19	54	3,255.83	283.81	2,972.02
Chouteau.....	1	-	-	1	100.00	-	100.00
Custer.....	1	1	1	-	60.00	60.00	-
Daniels.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dawson.....	2	1	5	1	150.87	24.87	126.00
Deer Lodge.....	23	6	19	17	1,722.47	700.19	1,022.28
Fallon.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fergus.....	17	3	8	14	958.74	191.19	767.55
Flathead.....	17	6	14	11	652.07	146.13	505.94
Gallatin.....	6	3	6	3	309.48	248.13	61.35
Garfield.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Glacier.....	1	-	-	1	60.00	-	60.00
Golden Valley.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Granite.....	5	5	28	-	898.07	898.07	-
Hill.....	3	-	-	3	118.85	-	118.85
Jefferson.....	1	-	-	1	3.10	-	3.10
Judith Basin.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lake.....	7	5	18	2	192.50	138.50	54.00
Lewis & Clark.....	8	4	14	4	391.15	193.15	198.00
Liberty.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lincoln.....	21	17	61	4	1,407.96	1,165.53	242.43
Madison.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
McCone.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Meagher.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mineral.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Missoula.....	95	40	137	55	3,219.24	1,512.67	1,706.57
Musselshell.....	2	-	-	2	252.00	-	252.00
Park.....	5	3	9	2	179.88	122.00	57.88
Petroleum.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Phillips.....	4	-	-	4	291.56	-	291.56
Pondera.....	2	-	-	2	181.00	-	181.00
Powder River.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Powell.....	2	1	5	1	50.00	5.00	45.00
Prairie.....	1	1	2	-	30.48	30.48	-
Ravalli.....	15	8	27	7	988.14	404.76	583.38
Richland.....	6	5	12	1	714.15	667.88	46.27
Roosevelt.....	1	-	-	1	87.04	-	87.04
Rosebud.....	1	-	-	1	118.00	-	118.00
Sanders.....	2	-	-	2	67.60	-	67.60
Sheridan.....	1	1	2	-	143.75	143.75	-
Silver Bow.....	162	43	119	119	13,005.85	3,743.40	9,262.45
Stillwater.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sweet Grass.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Teton.....	3	-	-	3	23.71	-	23.71
Toole.....	15	4	20	11	243.60	100.50	143.10
Treasure.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Valley.....	9	3	7	6	576.27	235.72	340.55
Wheatland.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wibaux.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Yellowstone.....	48	13	50	35	3,361.87	1,232.06	2,129.81

TABLE XIII EXPENDITURES FOR GENERAL ASSISTANCE, COUNTY MEDICAL,  
PROGRAM AND BURIALS, BY COUNTY

AUGUST, 1977

County	EXPENDITURES FROM COUNTY POOR FUNDS FOR:			
	Total	General Assistance	County Medical Programs*	Burials
<b>TOTAL . . . .</b>	<b>\$391,317.99</b>	<b>\$34,437.62</b>	<b>\$352,955.67</b>	<b>\$3,984.70</b>
Beaverhead . . . .	2,219.77	316.27	1,903.50	-
Big Horn . . . .	-	-	-	-
Blaine . . . .	80.00	14.00	66.00	-
Broadwater . . . .	125.00	-	125.00	-
Carbon . . . .	474.25	292.12	182.13	-
Carter . . . .	59.75	-	59.75	-
Cascade . . . .	99,182.60	3,255.83	95,261.77	665.00
Chouteau . . . .	809.85	100.00	709.85	-
Custer . . . .	1,090.50	60.00	1,030.50	-
Daniels . . . .	-	-	-	-
Dawson . . . .	353.62	150.87	207.75	-
Deer Lodge . . . .	2,165.20	1,722.47	367.73	75.00
Fallon . . . .	33.38	-	36.38	-
Fergus . . . .	3,561.43	958.74	2,457.69	145.00
Flathead . . . .	56,701.79	652.07	56,049.72	-
Gallatin . . . .	21,892.93	309.48	21,583.45	-
Garfield . . . .	6,981.79	-	6,981.79	-
Glacier . . . .	1,957.67	60.00	1,897.67	-
Golden Valley . . . .	-	-	-	-
Granite . . . .	2,068.57	898.07	1,170.50	-
Hill . . . .	156.64	118.85	37.79	-
Jefferson . . . .	57.28	3.10	54.18	-
Judith Basin . . . .	925.42	-	925.42	-
Lake . . . .	301.56	192.50	109.06	-
Lewis & Clark . . . .	4,521.03	391.15	4,129.88	-
Liberty . . . .	10,864.51	-	10,864.51	-
Lincoln . . . .	6,676.17	1,407.96	5,268.21	-
Madison . . . .	13,714.08	-	13,714.08	-
McCone . . . .	5,263.97	-	5,263.97	-
Meagher . . . .	-	-	-	-
Mineral . . . .	4.70	-	4.70	-
Missoula . . . .	19,254.69	3,219.24	16,035.45	-
Musselshell . . . .	421.10	252.00	169.10	-
Park . . . .	241.71	179.88	61.83	-
Petroleum . . . .	-	-	-	-
Phillips . . . .	572.71	291.56	281.15	-
Pondera . . . .	638.11	181.00	457.11	-
Powder River . . . .	-	-	-	-
Powell . . . .	1,547.31	50.00	972.31	525.00
Prairie . . . .	51.23	30.48	20.75	-
Ravalli . . . .	4,457.67	988.14	3,469.53	-
Richland . . . .	6,459.50	714.15	5,455.65	289.70
Roosevelt . . . .	6,267.98	87.04	6,180.94	-
Rosebud . . . .	3,891.53	118.00	3,773.53	-
Sanders . . . .	2,219.80	67.60	1,282.20	870.00
Sheridan . . . .	143.75	143.75	-	-
Silver Bow . . . .	92,546.07	13,005.85	79,100.22	440.00
Stillwater . . . .	-	-	-	-
Sweet Grass . . . .	-	-	-	-
Teton . . . .	192.64	23.71	168.93	-
Toole . . . .	514.17	243.60	270.57	-
Treasure . . . .	-	-	-	-
Valley . . . .	3,239.46	576.27	1,688.19	975.00
Wheatland . . . .	125.00	-	125.00	-
Wibaux . . . .	141.95	-	141.95	-
Yellowstone . . . .	6,200.15	3,361.87	2,838.28	-

\* Includes physicians services (\$21,031.15), drugs and medical supplies (\$5,992.35), hospitalization (\$164,771.22), nursing home care (\$156,717.93), and other medical care (\$4,443.02).



TABLE XIV. TRANSIENT RELIEF BY COUNTY COMPARED WITH  
LAST MONTH AND SAME MONTH A YEAR AGO

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AUGUST, 1977

County	August, 1977		July, 1977		August, 1976	
	Number of Persons	Amount	Number of Persons	Amount	Number of Persons	Amount
TOTAL.....	670	\$3,610.21	574	\$2,623.72	775	\$3,301.18
Beaverhead.....	26	82.56	32	145.00	30	116.05
Big Horn.....	21	41.06	18	28.80	14	26.89
Blaine.....	-	-	-	-	1	74.00
Broadwater.....	2	6.70	2	6.70	-	-
Carbon.....	5	20.08	2	11.50	5	100.00
Carter.....	-	-	-	-	3	9.78
Cascade.....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chouteau.....	9	36.60	5	15.55	-	-
Custer.....	4	16.55	24	95.20	10	16.75
Daniels.....	1	9.68	-	-	-	-
Dawson.....	25	43.51	20	21.91	25	104.51
Deer Lodge.....	4	10.50	-	-	-	-
Fallon.....	-	-	1	11.00	1	5.00
Fergus.....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Flathead.....	-	-	-	-	1	5.00
Gallatin.....	50	53.77	55	112.98	55	168.76
Garfield.....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Glacier.....	-	-	1	9.25	3	23.85
Golden Valley.....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Granite.....	4	7.50	-	-	-	-
Hill.....	2	7.50	3	9.31	-	-
Jefferson.....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Judith Basin.....	1	14.00	-	-	6	11.50
Lake.....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lewis & Clark.....	4	11.33	-	-	10	13.93
Liberty.....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lincoln.....	46	838.03	44	603.05	30	727.35
Madison.....	5	25.50	3	26.33	-	-
McCone.....	-	-	5	25.00	-	-
Meagher.....	2	3.00	10	30.57	7	15.10
Mineral.....	22	36.50	4	5.00	15	29.75
Missoula.....	103	489.13	50	179.04	110	558.21
Musselshell.....	11	52.95	-	-	14	62.59
Park.....	64	384.49	85	257.57	105	60.21
Petroleum.....	-	-	-	-	1	3.95
Phillips.....	-	-	2	14.09	-	-
Pondera.....	-	-	-	-	4	23.80
Powder River.....	1	11.85	3	22.35	-	-
Powell.....	17	29.75	21	34.85	38	85.37
Prairie.....	5	10.00	4	3.35	6	68.25
Ravalli.....	9	54.64	13	86.97	10	20.00
Richland.....	-	-	2	23.54	-	-
Roosevelt.....	1	4.00	1	14.03	-	-
Rosebud.....	25	58.60	12	77.65	14	63.38
Sanders.....	10	28.12	-	-	18	69.12
Sheridan.....	-	-	-	-	1	20.15
Silver Bow.....	95	600.90	102	462.95	100	351.02
Stillwater.....	26	200.45	14	68.35	32	42.01
Sweet Grass.....	59	152.21	13	34.85	60	113.50
Teton.....	6	18.50	1	6.70	-	-
Toole.....	22	131.04	17	123.78	42	287.90
Treasure.....	1	7.87	-	-	-	-
Valley.....	8	42.02	3	49.80	-	-
Wheatland.....	1	6.18	2	6.70	2	11.00
Wibaux.....	1	6.85	-	-	1	3.55
Yellowstone.....	4	56.29	-	-	1	8.95

TABLE XV DAY CARE AND FOSTER CARE, BY COUNTY

AUGUST, 1977

County	DAY CARE		FOSTER CARE			
	Number of Children	Amount	ADC		Regular	
			Number of Children	Amount	Number of Children	Amount
<b>TOTAL . . . . .</b>	<b>1,582</b>	<b>\$27,313.17</b>	<b>389</b>	<b>\$81,336.48</b>	<b>480</b>	<b>\$105,052.47</b>
Beaverhead . . . . .	11	457.50	3	283.32	4	1,805.83
Big Horn . . . . .	21	1,099.00	6	1,950.00	1	125.00
Blaine . . . . .	19	659.70	9	1,870.97	5	830.00
Broadwater . . . . .	4	176.00	-	-	-	-
Carbon . . . . .	1	44.00	-	-	4	550.00
Carter . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cascade . . . . .	118	7,254.20	66	14,683.95	54	11,837.12
Chouteau . . . . .	-	-	3	425.00	2	300.00
Custer . . . . .	29	1,943.50	11	1,353.32	21	3,828.00
Daniels . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dawson . . . . .	18	941.20	2	300.00	7	940.00
Deer Lodge . . . . .	16	711.30	2	300.00	5	2,179.00
Fallon . . . . .	-	-	-	-	2	300.00
Fergus . . . . .	10	472.00	10	2,600.00	5	1,360.00
Flathead . . . . .	75	4,298.30	22	3,221.65	25	3,583.43
Gallatin . . . . .	52	3,566.15	-	-	9	1,615.00
Garfield . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-
Glacier . . . . .	62	3,350.95	21	3,130.00	7	1,060.00
Golden Valley . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-
Granite . . . . .	-	-	-	-	1	500.00
Hill . . . . .	57	2,914.55	6	1,427.06	16	1,918.82
Jefferson . . . . .	6	417.70	1	330.00	2	800.00
Judith Basin . . . . .	-	-	-	-	1	125.00
Lake . . . . .	19	1,165.40	25	3,912.01	29	5,322.00
Lewis & Clark . . . . .	73	5,059.55	14	3,508.33	24	7,104.50
Liberty . . . . .	-	-	-	-	3	775.00
Lincoln . . . . .	15	592.80	-	-	12	1,375.83
Madison . . . . .	-	-	-	-	2	210.00
McCone . . . . .	-	-	-	-	1	90.00
Meagher . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mineral . . . . .	9	412.90	1	150.00	-	-
Missoula . . . . .	217	11,183.37	14	2,100.00	33	8,021.53
Musselshell . . . . .	-	-	3	425.00	1	150.00
Park . . . . .	42	2,273.10	4	675.00	14	2,629.17
Petroleum . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-
Phillips . . . . .	11	532.00	-	-	5	1,475.93
Pondera . . . . .	9	561.20	3	425.00	1	150.00
Powder River . . . . .	-	-	1	83.00	1	125.00
Powell . . . . .	22	1,096.50	1	83.00	10	2,630.00
Prairie . . . . .	-	-	8	800.01	-	-
Ravalli . . . . .	40	1,940.35	24	3,292.33	2	1,095.83
Richland . . . . .	12	550.50	14	2,891.67	7	849.16
Roosevelt . . . . .	17	758.60	4	1,285.93	3	1,175.93
Rosebud . . . . .	30	807.50	24	8,660.00	13	3,495.84
Sanders . . . . .	1	84.00	5	700.00	7	1,130.00
Sheridan . . . . .	7	470.00	-	-	1	150.00
Silver Bow . . . . .	99	4,796.40	10	1,245.00	31	5,484.33
Stillwater . . . . .	2	71.00	-	-	-	-
Sweet Grass . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-
Teton . . . . .	15	676.00	1	500.00	4	1,027.19
Toole . . . . .	3	122.00	1	150.00	4	1,346.67
Treasure . . . . .	-	-	1	125.00	-	-
Valley . . . . .	105	5,324.25	12	2,941.67	13	1,005.11
Wheatland . . . . .	4	339.40	-	-	-	-
Wibaux . . . . .	-	-	2	300.00	1	279.16
Yellowstone . . . . .	331	19,690.30	47	14,042.26	86	24,147.09
State Cases . . . . .	-	-	9	1,249.00	1	150.00

TABLE XVI NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS RECEIVING FOOD STAMPS  
AND VALUE OF FOOD STAMPS ISSUED BY COUNTY

AUGUST, 1977

County	CASES		Public Assistance Households	Non-Public Assistance Households	Total Value of Food Stamps Issued	Amount Recipients Paid	Value of Bonus Food Stamps Issued
	Households	Persons					
<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>8,743</b>	<b>25,263</b>	<b>2,955</b>	<b>5,788</b>	<b>\$1,038,568</b>	<b>\$353,677</b>	<b>\$684,891</b>
Beaverhead.....	66	156	42	24	6,675	2,415	4,260
Big Horn.....	85	365	33	52	13,784	5,713	8,071
Blaine.....	116	441	50	66	17,440	6,584	10,856
Broadwater.....	41	97	5	36	4,108	1,941	2,167
Carbon.....	96	267	22	74	10,642	4,687	5,955
Carter.....	8	30	2	6	1,262	455	807
Cascade.....	1,079	2,768	439	640	118,042	45,757	72,285
Chouteau.....	21	39	3	18	1,814	703	1,111
Custer.....	121	310	19	102	12,210	3,757	8,453
Daniels.....	9	25	2	7	1,071	511	560
Dawson.....	76	204	18	58	8,221	2,634	5,587
Deer Lodge.....	219	669	89	130	27,405	10,080	17,325
Fallon.....	18	54	9	9	2,272	1,207	1,065
Fergus.....	108	254	21	87	11,360	4,742	6,618
Flathead.....	450	1,251	136	314	50,259	15,166	35,093
Gallatin.....	208	548	62	146	22,341	7,109	15,232
Garfield.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Glacier.....	302	1,394	120	182	62,710	14,067	48,643
Golden Valley.....	10	29	1	9	1,149	241	908
Granite.....	52	181	14	38	7,139	2,016	5,123
Hill.....	244	934	123	121	35,876	12,749	23,127
Jefferson.....	139	350	14	125	14,295	3,447	10,848
Judith Basin.....	15	39	3	12	1,405	695	710
Lake.....	172	534	43	129	21,438	6,717	14,721
Lewis & Clark.....	632	1,573	152	480	67,020	17,756	49,264
Liberty.....	4	13	2	2	562	298	264
Lincoln.....	288	851	91	197	34,672	10,512	24,160
Madison.....	24	75	6	18	2,753	1,297	1,456
McCone.....	5	13	2	3	580	276	304
Meagher.....	21	65	3	18	2,559	1,012	1,547
Mineral.....	48	138	10	38	5,454	1,742	3,712
Missoula.....	817	2,155	327	490	89,647	25,480	64,167
Musselshell.....	48	152	20	28	6,221	2,446	3,775
Park.....	136	305	26	110	12,748	4,839	7,909
Petroleum.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Phillips.....	42	105	7	35	4,963	2,006	2,957
Pondera.....	79	258	19	60	10,850	3,639	7,211
Powder River.....	8	24	2	6	950	306	644
Powell.....	93	276	18	75	10,726	3,565	7,161
Prairie.....	9	10	-	9	510	347	163
Ravalli.....	216	589	46	170	24,585	7,405	17,180
Richland.....	76	263	13	63	10,027	4,037	5,990
Roosevelt.....	102	367	36	66	14,047	6,355	7,692
Rosebud.....	111	503	30	81	22,629	6,390	16,239
Sanders.....	107	312	28	79	12,863	3,639	9,224
Sheridan.....	36	82	7	29	3,415	1,681	1,734
Silver Bow.....	870	2,406	365	505	97,907	35,646	62,261
Stillwater.....	31	82	6	25	3,302	982	2,320
Sweet Grass.....	18	44	6	12	1,742	664	1,078
Teton.....	46	110	12	34	4,896	1,872	3,024
Toole.....	59	133	21	38	5,445	1,839	3,606
Treasure.....	5	12	-	5	538	340	198
Valley.....	217	720	47	170	27,527	13,478	14,049
Wheatland.....	24	63	11	13	2,716	1,289	1,427
Wibaux.....	12	35	2	10	1,306	366	940
Yellowstone.....	904	2,590	370	534	102,490	38,780	63,710



TABLE XVII TOTAL VALUE OF FOOD STAMPS ISSUED BY COUNTY  
AND AVERAGE VALUE PER HOUSEHOLD AND PERSON

AUGUST, 1977

County	Total Value of Food Stamps Issued	Average Per Household	Average Per Person	Value of Bonus Food Stamps Issued	Average of Bonus Issued Per Household	Average of Bonus Issued Per Person
TOTAL.....	\$1,038,568	\$118.78	\$41.11	\$684,891	\$78.33	\$27.11
Beaverhead.....	6,675	101.13	42.78	4,260	64.54	27.30
Bighorn.....	13,784	162.16	37.76	8,071	94.95	22.11
Blaine.....	17,440	150.34	39.54	10,856	93.58	24.61
Broadwater.....	4,108	100.19	42.35	2,167	52.85	22.34
Carbon.....	10,642	110.85	39.85	5,955	62.03	22.30
Carter.....	1,262	157.75	42.06	807	100.87	26.90
Cascade.....	118,042	109.39	42.64	72,285	66.99	26.11
Chouteau.....	1,814	86.38	46.51	1,111	52.90	28.48
Custer.....	12,210	100.90	39.38	8,453	69.85	27.26
Daniels.....	1,071	119.00	42.84	560	62.22	22.40
Dawson.....	8,221	108.17	40.29	5,587	73.51	27.38
Deer Lodge.....	27,405	125.13	40.96	17,325	79.10	25.89
Fallon.....	2,272	126.22	42.07	1,065	59.16	19.72
Fergus.....	11,360	105.18	44.72	6,618	61.27	26.05
Flathead.....	50,259	111.68	40.17	35,093	77.98	28.05
Gallatin.....	22,341	107.40	40.76	15,232	73.23	27.79
Garfield.....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Glacier.....	62,710	207.64	44.98	48,643	161.06	34.89
Golden Valley.....	1,149	114.90	39.62	908	90.80	31.31
Granite.....	7,139	137.28	39.44	5,123	98.51	28.30
Hill.....	35,876	147.03	38.41	23,127	94.78	24.76
Jefferson.....	14,295	102.84	40.84	10,848	78.04	30.99
Judith Basin.....	1,405	93.66	36.02	710	47.33	18.20
Lake.....	21,438	124.63	40.14	14,721	85.58	27.56
Lewis & Clark.....	67,020	106.04	42.60	49,264	77.94	31.31
Liberty.....	562	140.50	43.23	264	66.00	20.30
Lincoln.....	34,672	120.38	40.74	24,160	83.88	28.39
Madison.....	2,753	114.70	36.70	1,456	60.66	19.41
McCone.....	580	116.00	44.61	304	60.80	23.38
Meagher.....	2,559	121.85	39.36	1,547	73.66	23.80
Mineral.....	5,454	113.62	39.52	3,712	77.33	26.89
Missoula.....	89,647	109.72	41.59	64,167	78.53	29.77
Musselshell.....	6,221	129.60	40.92	3,775	78.64	24.83
Park.....	12,748	93.73	41.79	7,909	58.15	25.93
Petroleum.....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Phillips.....	4,963	118.16	47.26	2,957	70.40	28.16
Pondera.....	10,850	137.34	42.05	7,211	91.27	27.94
Powder River.....	950	118.75	39.58	644	80.50	26.83
Powell.....	10,725	115.33	38.86	7,161	77.00	25.94
Prairie.....	510	56.66	51.00	163	18.11	16.30
Ravalli.....	24,585	113.81	41.74	17,180	79.53	29.16
Richland.....	10,027	131.93	38.12	5,990	78.81	22.77
Roosevelt.....	14,047	137.71	38.27	7,692	75.41	20.95
Rosebud.....	22,629	203.86	44.98	16,239	146.29	32.28
Sanders.....	12,863	120.21	41.22	9,224	86.20	29.56
Sheridan.....	3,415	94.86	41.64	1,734	48.16	21.14
Silver Bow.....	97,907	112.53	40.69	62,261	71.56	25.87
Stillwater.....	3,302	106.51	40.26	2,320	74.83	28.29
Sweet Grass.....	1,742	96.77	39.59	1,078	59.88	24.50
Teton.....	4,896	106.43	44.50	3,024	65.73	27.49
Toole.....	5,445	92.28	40.93	3,606	61.11	27.11
Treasure.....	538	107.60	44.83	198	39.60	16.50
Valley.....	27,527	126.85	38.23	14,049	64.74	19.51
Wheatland.....	2,716	113.16	43.11	1,427	59.45	22.65
Wibaux.....	1,305	108.83	37.31	940	78.33	26.85
Yellowstone.....	102,490	113.37	39.57	63,710	70.47	24.59

TABLE X.VIII. RECIPIENTS OF MONEY PAYMENTS AND AMOUNT OF PAYMENTS  
BY UNITED STATES AND SELECTED STATES

MARCH, 1977

GENERAL ASSISTANCE

State	Number of Recipients	Average Payment	% Change from 3/76	
			Number	Amount
U.S. TOTAL *	<u>940,521</u>	<u>\$118.92</u>	- 6.7	+ 4.9
Colorado . . . . .	1,377	28.19	- 62.7	- 86.1
MONTANA . . . . .	1,313	41.68	- 18.5	- 5.2
North Dakota . . . . .	339	35.42	- 7.4	+ 36.1
South Dakota (E) . . . . .	1,256	25.90	- 16.2	+ 10.4
Utah . . . . .	1,631	143.26	- 33.2	- 8.6
Wyoming . . . . .	636	36.74	+ 45.5	+ 56.6

\* 42 States

(E) Estimated

AID TO FAMILIES WITH DEPENDENT CHILDREN

State	Number of Families	Number of Recipients	Average Family Payment	Average Recipient Payment	% Change from 3/76	
					Number	Amount
U.S. TOTAL <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	<u>3,624,720</u>	<u>11,294,343</u>	<u>\$236.24</u>	<u>\$75.82</u>	- 1.7	- 3.3
Colorado <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	33,580	98,548	203.60	69.38	- 3.2	- 0.9
Idaho . . . . .	6,980	20,382	256.83	87.95	+ 2.5	+ 6.5
MONTANA <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	6,738	18,839	168.30	60.20	- 0.4	+ 1.2
North Dakota . . . . .	4,892	14,069	237.74	82.67	+ 2.0	+ 2.2
South Dakota . . . . .	8,043	23,897	182.45	61.41	- 5.4	- 11.0
Utah <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	12,629	37,349	248.24	83.94	+ 0.5	+ 3.8
Wyoming . . . . .	2,487	6,730	197.02	72.81	- 0.1	+ 12.3

<sup>1</sup> Includes data on unemployed-parents segment, and AFDC Foster Care.



